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Dear Sir:

The applicants of the referenced application hereby request a refund based on the erroneous overpayment of $555 for a 3 month extension fee. The applicants are a small entity but the large entity fee of $1110 was paid by mistake. This request for a refund is being filed within three months of the date that the fee was paid.

Please refund the amount equal to the difference between the large entity fee and the small entity fee for fee code 1253/2253. Since the filing fee was paid for by credit card, the applicants understand that a credit will be applied to the credit card used.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3), please treat this and any concurrent or future reply in this application that requires a petition for an extension of time for its timely submission as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time.

Respectfully,
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